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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Logan O'Dell and Blaine Marks of the Buna High
2 School fishing team achieved great distinction by capturing first
3 place in the Costa Bassmaster High School Central Open, held at
4 Toledo Bend Reservoir in Many, Louisiana, on March 15, 2015; and

5 WHEREAS, Under the guidance of team captain Brandon Marks,
6 the pair of seventh-grade anglers reeled in the maximum five bass,
7 which collectively weighed in at 17 pounds, 12 ounces, providing a
8 one-ounce margin of victory over the second-place finishers; and

9 WHEREAS, The triumph earned the duo a \$500 check for their
10 school and qualified them to compete in the Costa Bassmaster High
11 School National Championship in Tennessee in July 2015; in
12 addition, they earned the opportunity to fish with Elite Series
13 professionals as part of the High School Elite Experience presented
14 by Costa; and

15 WHEREAS, These talented young fishermen demonstrated
16 exceptional skill and determination in pursuit of their goals, and
17 they are a source of great pride to their classmates and their
18 community; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
20 Legislature hereby congratulate Logan O'Dell and Blaine Marks on
21 winning the Costa Bassmaster High School Central Open and extend to
22 them sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
24 prepared for Mr. O'Dell and Mr. Marks as an expression of high

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1 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.